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In re Patent Application of)	MAIL STOP Petitions
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For: CROSSLINKABLE COMPOSITION)	
FOR A BATTERY ELECTROLYTE)	
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PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a response to the Notice of Abandonment mailed February 19, 2008, in the above-captioned application. The Notice of Abandonment indicates that the application became abandoned in view of Applicants' alleged failure to timely file a proper reply to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed September 8, 2006. For the following reasons, Applicants submit that the abandonment was improper and thus request that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn.

The abandonment was improper because Applicants did in fact prepare and file a Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning a Submission under 35 U.S.C. § 371 including a Five Month Petition for Extension of Time, executed Declaration documents and an English-language translation of the application on April 6, 2007. In addition to these documents, herein enclosed, please also find a copy of the date-stamped Postcard and proof of Deposit Account showing our payment of \$2290 to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Please contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below if there are any questions concerning this paper or the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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